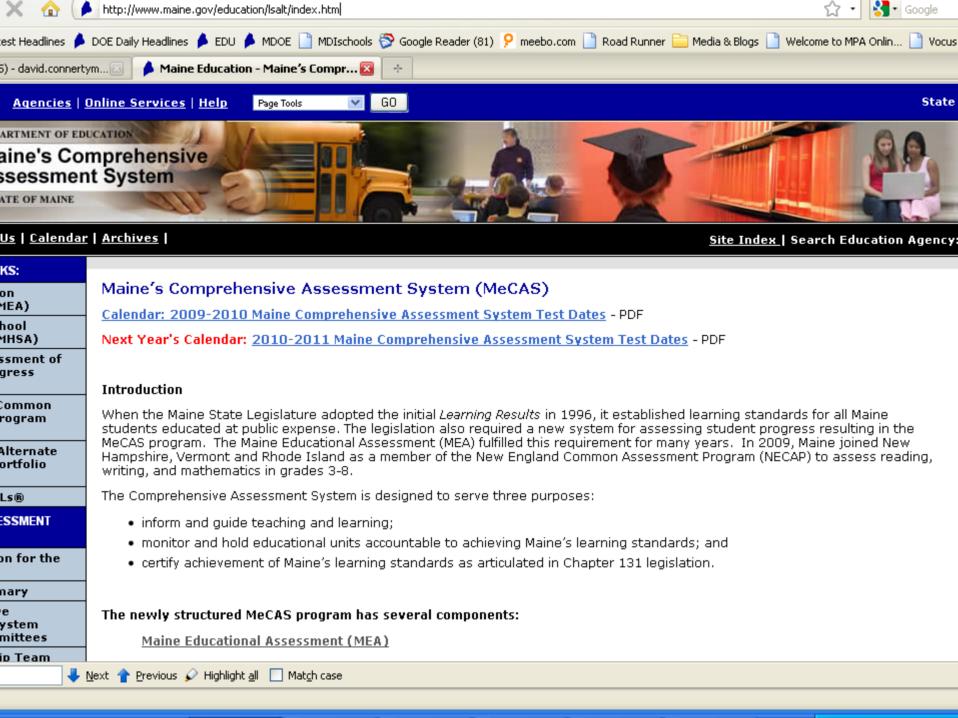
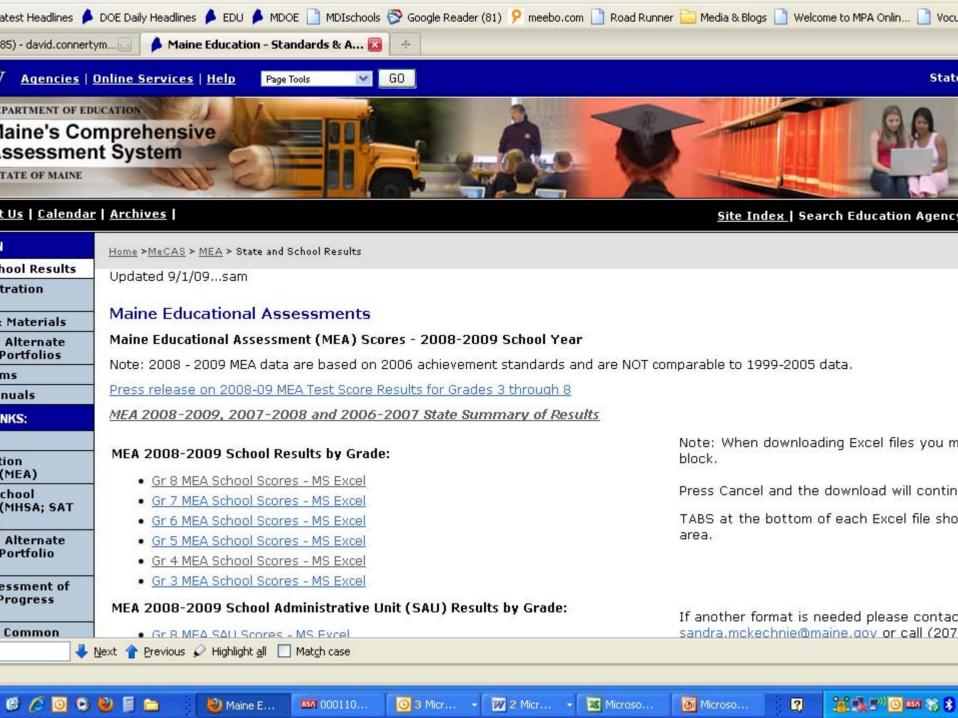
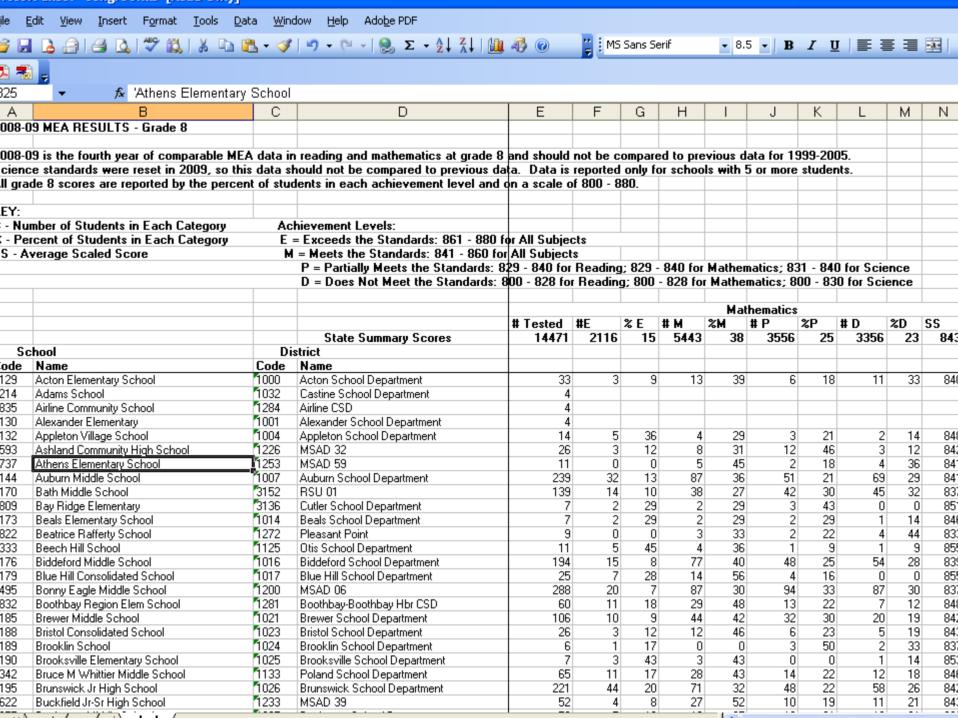


School Achievement and Progress List

Conference Call with Superintendents March 29, 2010







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Cum. Total*

2006-2007

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atements, connects ideas within and across texts, and uses knowledge of text structures

artially Meets the Standards – The student's work demonstrates an inconsistent ability read and interpret literary and informational texts appropriate for the grade level. The

udent's ability to use a variety of reasoning skills and prior knowledge varies depending

n the texts as s/he draws inferences, identifies summary statements, connects ideas within

oes Not Meet the Standards – The student's work demonstrates a limited ability to read

nd across texts, and uses knowledge of text structures and literary devices to support

nd literary devices to increase comprehension. (scaled score 1142-1160)

omprehension. (scaled score 1130-1140)

Student Achievement & Progress

ACHIEVEMENT NUMBER

- Average percent meeting and exceeding in reading for all grades tested at a school.

 That is, grades 3-8 and grade 11.

 In a K-5 school, that would be grades 3, 4, and 5.
- Then take the average percent meeting and exceeding math for the same grades.
- Now average the two.
- ODo this for each of the past three years

Your Town Elem School (K-5) ACHIEVEMENT

	Average Rdg Proficiency Grades 3-5	Average Math Proficiency Grades 3-5	Combined Proficiency Grades 3-5
06-07	48%	38%	43%
07-08	44%	40%	42%
08-09	51%	43%	47%
3 Yr Ave			44%

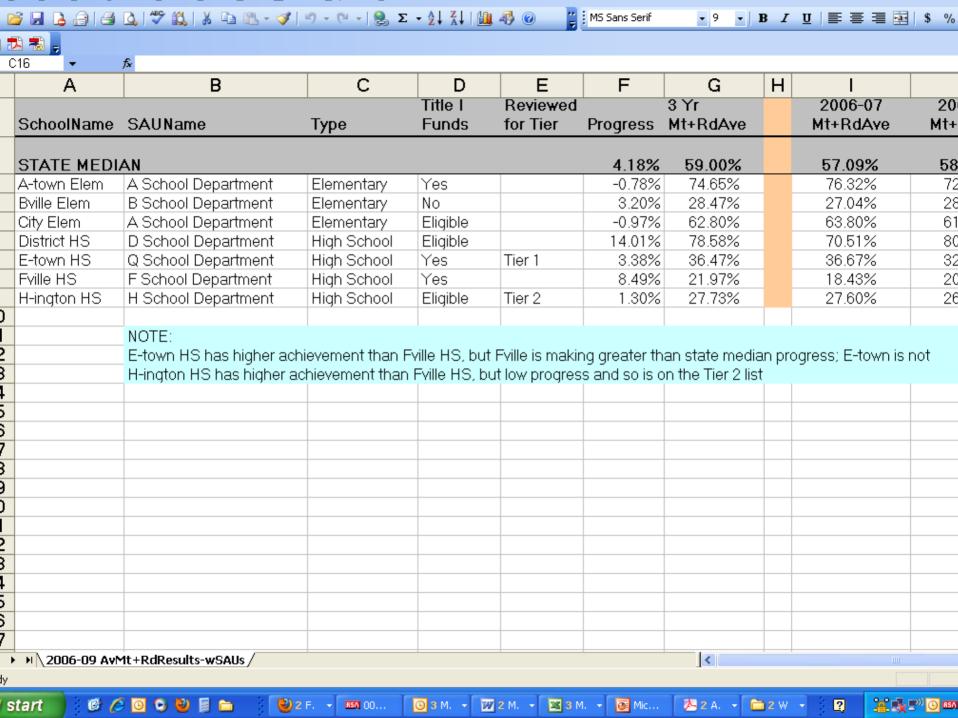
Student Achievement & Progress

PROGRESS NUMBER

- Take the change in Achievement (proficiency)
 from 06-07 to 07-08
- Add the change in Achievement (proficiency) from 07-08 to 08-09
- To get a cumulative percentage increase

Your Town Elem School (K-5) PROGRESS

	Combined Proficiency Grades 3-5	Change
06-07	43%	
07-08	42%	-1%
08-09	47%	+5%
Net change		+4%



Maine Definition of Persistently Lowest achieving schools:

Maine defines "persistently lowest-achieving schools" as those schools ranking the lowest, based on a three year average of proficiency in **Reading and Math** combined from 2007-2009, and **also demonstrating a** level of progress less than the median rate of progress of all schools ranked. The level of progress is determined by calculating the change in the yearly averages for proficiency in Reading and Math from 2007 to 2008, 2008 to 2009. This definition will be used to generate a list of schools identified as Tier I or Tier II schools eligible for school improvement funding through the Title I School Improvement Grants (SIG) program authorized by section 1003(g) of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (ESEA). Schools will be considered for eligibility under two categories, designated as Tier I and Tier II as follows;

- **Tier I schools** are defined as any Title I school in improvement, corrective action, or restructuring that
 - Is among the lowest-achieving five percent of Title I schools in improvement, corrective action, or restructuring or the lowest-achieving five Title I schools in improvement, corrective action, or restructuring in the State, whichever number of schools is greater; or
 - Is a high school that has had a graduation rate as defined in 34 C.F.R. § 200.19(b) that is less than 60 percent over a number of years;
- **Tier II schools** are defined as any secondary school that is eligible for, but does not receive, Title I funds that
 - Is among the lowest-achieving five percent of secondary schools or the lowest-achieving five secondary schools in the State that are eligible for, but do not receive, Title I funds, whichever number of schools is greater; or
 - Is a high school that has had a graduation rate as defined in 34 C.F.R. § 200.19(b) that is less than 60 percent over a number of years.

It should be noted that graduation rates, based on Maine's transition rate as defined in 34 C.F.R. § 200.19(b), have been reviewed and there are currently no secondary schools having a graduation rate less than 60% over a number of years.

Reviewing and Identifying Persistently Low-Achieving Schools

- 1. Examine ONLY **Tier 1** schools (about 44 schools out of 650+)
- 2. Eliminate from review any school with greater than state median progress (4.18%)
- 3. Choose the 5 with the lowest achievement.

Reviewing and Identifying Persistently Low-Achieving Schools

- 1. Examine ONLY Tier 2 schools (54 schools out of 650+)
- 2. Eliminate from review any school with greater than state median progress (4.18%)
- 3. Choose the 5 with the lowest achievement.

These and other materials and the complete list will be available (Tuesday morning) at...

www.maine.gov/education/progress/